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REGISTERED-RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Mr. Milton C. Neilson, President Minerals West, Inc. P.O. Box 277 Monticello, Utah 84535

Re: Reclamation Surety
Mi Vida Mine
ACT/037/028

Dear Mr. Neilson:

You will recall that tentative approval was issued for the Mi Vida Mine on August 23, 1979. You were informed of such by letter on August 29, 1979. In that letter you were also informed of the Division's surety estimate of \$15,312.00, and, the letter requested that you contact the Division within 30 days to finalize the surety arrangements

The Division hereby requests that you meet to finalize the surety for the property as required by Section 40-8-14 of the Utah Mined Land Reclamation Act. If contact is not made within 14 days of receipt of this second request, the Division has no other alternative than to approach the Board of Oil, Gas and Mining to withdraw tentative approval and order a cessation of all mining activities.

If you have any questions please call.

Sincerely,

RONALD W. DANIELS COORDINATOR OF MINED

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